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IN REPLY REFER TO:
3809
(UT-924-OA)
UTU-69246

August 27, 2004

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

DECISION

Obligor/Operator:	:	Notice:	UTU-69246
Russell C. Feller	:	Bond Amount:	\$2,258.00
A&R Leasing	:		
688 E. Chad Ranch Road	:		
Veyo, UT 84782	:		
Financial Institution:	:		
Sun First Bank	:		
146 E. St. George Blvd.	:		
St. George, UT 84770	:		

Financial Guarantee Accepted Notice Extended

On January 21, 2003, you filed a notice extending the above-mentioned notice with the Salt Lake Field Office, Bureau of Land Management (BLM). The reclamation cost estimate is determined to be \$2,258.

On August 11, 2004, the Surface Management Personal Bond contract and a letter of credit (LOC) in the amount of \$2,258 to secure a bond for the notice identified above were received by this office. The bond contract was amended and submitted to this office on August 20, 2004. The bond and the financial document have been examined and found satisfactory. The financial guarantee is accepted as of August 20, 2004, and accordingly, the above-mentioned notice is extended until January 20, 2005.

The bond covers operations conducted by or on behalf of the obligor/operator on the above-mentioned notice.

The pledge for the bond is a LOC written by the financial institution named above. The LOC will be retained in this office until all terms and conditions of the operations have been fulfilled or until a satisfactory replacement bond has been accepted. The LOC will be returned to the financial institution when this office determines that the bond is no longer required.

The LOC will continue indefinitely in the absence of notice from the financial institution of its determination not to renew the letter. Such a notice must be received in this office at least 90 days prior to the original expiration date of July 12, 2005, or the automatic extension dates falling on the same day in subsequent years. A copy of such notice also should be provided to the obligor, who would then be responsible for providing a replacement security to the BLM. Unless the obligor provides a satisfactory replacement bond at least 30 days prior to the then fixed expiration date, BLM will demand that the financial institution pay the full amount of the credit to ensure continuing bond coverage of the obligor. Any such funds thus obtained will be retained as long as none are required to correct defaults, until the bond is no longer required or until replacement bond coverage is accepted by the BLM.

If you have any questions concerning the bond, please contact Opie Abeyta at (801) 539-4123.

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